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### Application of

Application No. : 10/039,313  
Docket No. : 006593-1953  
Applicant : Shariff et al.  
Filed : October 27, 2001  
Title : FEED GRIP FOR A FOOD SLICER  
Art Unit : 3724  
Examiner : Ashley

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### **PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Prior to examination, please amend this application as follows: